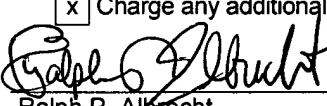


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 36507-193186		
Application No. 10/666,547-Conf. #5549		Filing Date September 22, 2003	Examiner J. M. Hollington	Art Unit 2829	
Applicant(s): Sohl et al.					
Invention: ENHANCED SUBSURFACE MEMBRANE INTERFACE PROBE (MIP)					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	35	- 35 =		x	
<b>Independent Claims</b>	9	- 9 =		x	
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Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <span style="margin-left: 300px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</span>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>22-0261</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
 Ralph P. Albrecht Attorney Reg. No.: 43,466			Dated: <u>August 26, 2005</u>		
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